Faith in Your Ability

If you are looking for success and you lack faith in your ability to find it, your very lack of faith is the best evidence in the world that you are on the road to failure. A man always travels in the direction of his faith.—V. A.

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Home and Virtues

Home is the chief school of human virtues.—Channing.

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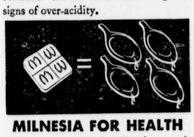
The noblest motive is the public good.—Vigil.

Miss REE LEEF says:

"CAPUDINE relieves HEADACHE quicker because it's liquid... already dissolved"

DOLLARS & HEALTH

The successful person is a healthy person. Don't let yourself be handicapped by sick headaches, a sluggish condition, stomach "nerves" and other dangerous signs of over-acidity.



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First Aid to the Ailing House

—By— Roger B. Whitman

PATCHING CONCRETE

IN BUILDING a concrete walk, an apron for a garage, or any similar surface, a good foundation should be provided, with drainage to carry off water. Without drainage, water that collects underneath will freeze, and the expansion will crack the concrete. In the case of steps and other masses of concrete water that enters any slight crack will, in freezing, make the crack worse.

Cracked concrete can be successfully patched although the job must be carefully done. Spreading new concrete over a crack is of little use, for it will quickly scale off. For permanence, the patch should be forced into the crack. A crack should be prepared for patching by being widened. The groove that is made should be wider at the bottom than it is on the surface, so that in hardening, the patch will lock itself into place. The tools to use for widening a crack are a cold chisel and a hammer. A groove should be at least an inch deep, and deeper in larger masses of concrete. It should be at least a quarter-inch wide at the surface. The patching material is a mixture of 1 part portland cement and 3 parts of clean building sand, with only enough water to make a workable mixture. At the time of patching, the concrete at the crack should be well soaked with water, for if it is dry, it will absorb water from the patching material and the patch will lose strength. The patch should be packed into place, and the surface textured to match the surrounding concrete. When the patch hardens, it should be sprinkled at frequent intervals. Concrete does not harden by drying out, but by a chemical change called curing. Curing requires water; for final hardness and density the patch should be kept wet for three or four days. One simple method is to cover it with wet sand; keeping the sand wet.

Some cracks can be closed with roofing cement; for instance, an open joint that may develop between a concrete walk and a foundation wall. This crack should also be widened. The easiest way to apply the roofing cement is to melt it by heating and to pour it in.

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Bedtime Story by Thornton W. Burgess

BILLY MINK LIVES HIGH

BILLY MINK was living high. Yes, sir, Billy Mink was living high. For the first time in his life he didn't have to hunt for his meals. Whenever he became hungry all he had to do was to slip out from under the woodpile, and there was a meal waiting for him. Of course it hadn't taken Billy long to find out where those meals came from. After the first day Billy had watched. Peeping out from his hiding place under the wood he had seen the farmer come from the house and leave something for him to eat and then go on to feed the hens.

Sometimes Billy would find scraps of meat. Sometimes it would be fish. Once, when the farmer and his wife had had a chicken dinner, Billy had found a couple of chicken heads, of which he is very fond. Always it was something Billy liked. He was living so high that he was actually growing fat and lazy.

And as the days went on Billy grew less and less afraid of that farmer. He decided that no one who meant harm to him would be so good to him. So after a while Billy would come out in broad daylight. In fact, the farmer would have gone hardly ten steps away before Billy would be out to see what had been left for him. And the farmer took the greatest care not to do anything to frighten Billy. In short, Billy and the farmer were becoming very good friends.

Just for exercise Billy would occasionally run over to the big barn and hunt for mice. Once he visited the henhouse and found that there was no longer a trap there. Neither was there a hole by which he could get into that henhouse. The farmer had blocked up that hole through which Billy had once entered. After he discovered this Billy kept away from the henhouse. He knew that it was of no use to go there. You see, he is not like the rats; he doesn't gnaw holes. He makes use of holes some one else has made. His teeth are not made for gnawing.

But Billy wasn't especially disappointed because he couldn't get into the henhouse. In fact, he seldom thought about chickens. You see, he had plenty to eat, and, having plenty, there was no temptation to try to kill a chicken. So Billy felt very much at home and worried about nothing at all. There was nothing to worry about. He felt as if he quite belonged in that farmyard.

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Skyscraper Youth Makes Army Retreat

Springfield, Mo.—Norman W. Anderson, nineteen - year - old youth from Willard, Mo., forced the United States army recruiting service to retreat. Anderson weighs 191 pounds, is 6 feet 8½ inches tall and has a foot measuring 12 inches from heel to toe. Sergeant Lester Bennett admitted the army couldn't outfit a fellow that size—and, furthermore, the army had no assurance he had reached anything near his full growth.

"Muck-Amuck," Indian's Bread in Lord's Prayer

The Pacific Northwest Indian of two centuries ago had no word for bread, something unknown to him, so he asked for "muck-amuck" when he recited the Lord's prayer, according to an authority in the Detroit News.

The "muck-amuck," states the writer, covered his daily ration of meat, fish and other food.

Another Chinook version of the Lord's prayer, one of several used, brought to light by a writer for the American Guide, was found in some long-forgotten documents.

"Ne-si-ka Papa klaxta mit-lite kopa Sach-a-lie," it begins.

A literal translation read:

"Our Father who dwells on high, good for our hearts your name, good you chief of all people; good your heart to such country as our up above; give us all days our food, and stop remembering all our sins we make to them, suppose sin against us; throw far away from us all evil."

The various Chinook version of the Lord's prayer, it is said, came into being about 1740 from the influence of early missionaries.

The Chinook was a kind of esperanto language in which all tribes could talk somewhat with each other, and was in use before the white man came.

what Irvin S. Cobb thinks about:

The Plight of Spain.

BEVERLY HILLS, CALIF.—In the bloody task of utterly destroying herself Spain cannot complain that she lacked for hearty co-operation on the part of some of her sister countries.

Openly or secretly, half of the great European powers are contributing to the bloody ruination, so that, when the finish comes, they'll have spoils or dubious prestige or both and that ill-fated land will be a burying ground and a desolation.

Irvin S. Cobb

A fellow gets to wondering why this or that government chooses for an emblem some noble creature when the turkey buzzard or the grave-robbing hyena would be so appropriate.

Fierce winters and devastating floods may be curing us here on this side of the water, but at least we have been spared the affliction of having for our next-door neighbors certain nations.

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Kidnapers' Ransoms.

IT'S all well enough to pass an act making payment of ransom to a kidnaper a criminal offense—as though heartbroken parents would hesitate to pay ransoms to get their babies back, no matter what the penalty for so doing might be! And can you see any American jury convicting those parents? The author of the law is no doubt well-intentioned but there is another law, called the law of human nature, which most surely would defeat his purposes.

By the way, a person who should know what he's talking about, tells me that three out of every four known kidnapers during recent years have been ex-convicts with records as repeated offenders.

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Optimism De Luxe.

I LIKE the spirit of a gentleman in New York who started dredging operations in East river. He set out to dig a minimum of $4,800,000 in gold and silver from the ooze, and to date has salvaged 96 cents, two rusty frying pans and a penknife—and is still probing.

For gorgeous optimism I can think of but one case to match this. I was on the French Riviera one summer. They'd been shifting the railroad tracks along the Grand Corniche. This left a disused tunnel. So, week after week, a bearded gentleman sat at one mouth of the empty bore with a sign over his head reading: "This property for sale." When I left he was still there, waiting for somebody who was in the market for a second-hand tunnel.

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South American Explorers.

OF RECENT years, those hardy adventurers who set forth to invade the last great unexplored area, interior South America, seem to follow a regular routine, to wit, as follows:

First—They start off.
Second—They get lost.
Third—They are rescued.

But wouldn't it save wear and tear and nervous strain if the rescue expedition went on ahead so it could get settled down in camp all nice and comfortable and be waiting for the explorers when they staggered in, exhausted from toting all those tons of material for future lecture tours? The modern discoverer is gallant, but apparently has no more sense of direction than an egg-beater and seemingly could get lost on top of a marble-top table.

IRVIN S. COBB.

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Life's Harmony

Life's harmony must have its discords, but as in music, pathos is tempered into pleasure by the pervading spirit of beauty, so are all life's sounds tempered by love.—George Henry Lewes.

Don't Sleep When Gas Presses Heart

If you want to really GET RID OF GAS and terrible bloating, don't expect to do it by just doctoring your stomach with harsh, irritating alkalies and "gas tablets." Most GAS is lodged in the stomach and upper intestine and is due to old poisonous matter in the constipated bowels that are loaded with ill-smelling bacteria.

If your constipation is of long standing, enormous quantities of dangerous bacteria accumulate. Then your digestion is upset. GAS often presses heart and lungs, making life miserable.

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Love and Skill

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WOMEN WHO ARE WEAK

Mrs. Hattie Zebley of 104 Scott St., Wilmington, Del., said: "At times I suffered from headache and had a pain in my back and thru my sides, all due to functional disturbances. I was miserable. I was hardly able to do my housework. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription taken as a tonic certainly made a big improvement in me. The headaches and pains disappeared. I had a fine appetite and gained in strength." Buy of your druggist.

SORE, RHEUMATIC MUSCLES

Say good-bye to messy liniments and salves, that have to be smeared on every few hours to be effective. The new treatment for sore, aching muscles is Allcock's Porous Plaster, that stays on until pain is all gone. One Allcock's Plaster lasts days and days without further thought. The blood is gently drawn to the painful rheumatic area, and the muscles are massaged as you move. No rubbing. Nothing smelly or sticky. Allcock's is pleasant. Easy on, easy off when pain is gone. 5 million users testify that Allcock's is marvelous for backaches, arthritis, pains, chest colds. 25¢ at druggists, or write "Allcock's, Ossining, N. Y." ALLCOCK'S

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